

SENATE BILL 1607
By Norris

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55,
Chapter 12, Part 1, relative to motor vehicle
financial responsibility.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-12-139(c), is amended by
deleting such subsection in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(c) It is an offense to fail to provide evidence of financial responsibility pursuant
to this section. Any violation is a Class B misdemeanor punishable only by a fine of not
more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) for the first offense and punishable only by a
fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500) on the second and any subsequent
offense.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.